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## S. 647

To assist in the effective management of the civilian work force of the Central Intelligence Agency, and for other purposes.

## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 24 (legislative day, MARCH 3), 1993

Mr. Warner (for himself and Mr. DeConcini) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Select Committee on Intelligence

## A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Central Intelligence
- 5 Agency Voluntary Separation Incentive Act".
- 6 SEC. 2. VOLUNTARY SEPARATION INCENTIVE PROGRAM.
- 7 (a) Program Authority.—The Director of Central
- 8 Intelligence may in the Director's discretion establish and
- 9 administer a program under which the Director may pay,
- 10 subject to the availability of appropriations, a financial in-

1	centive to employees of the Central Intelligence Agency re-
2	ferred to in subsection (b) for voluntarily separating, by
3	retirement or resignation, from employment by the
4	Central Intelligence Agency.
5	(b) Applicability of Program.—The Director
6	may apply a program established under subsection (a) to
7	any or all of the employees of the Central Intelligence
8	Agency who—
9	(1) serve under an appointment without a time
10	limitation;
11	(2) have been employed by the Central Intel-
12	ligence Agency for not less than 12 months;
13	(3) meet such requirements as the Director of
14	Central Intelligence may prescribe, which may in-
15	clude requirements relating to—
16	(A) years of service;
17	(B) skills; and
18	(C) level of pay;
19	(4) are not reemployed annuitants under a re-
20	tirement system for employees of the Federal Gov-
21	ernment; and
22	(5) are not employees eligible for disability re-
23	tirement under a retirement system for employees of
24	the Federal Government.
25	(c) Additional Eligible Employees.—

1	(1) AUTHORITY.—The Director of Central In-
2	telligence may, on a case-by-case basis, apply the
3	program under subsection (a) to an employee of the
4	Central Intelligence Agency not eligible under sub-
5	section (b) if the Director determines that doing so
6	is necessary or advisable in the interests of the
7	United States.
8	(2) AUTHORITY NOT DELEGABLE.—The author-
9	ity under paragraph (1) may not be delegated.
10	(3) Report on use of authority.—The Di-
11	rector of Central Intelligence shall report each in-
12	stance of the exercise of the authority under para-
13	graph (1) to the Select Committee on Intelligence of
14	the Senate and the Permanent Select Committee on
15	Intelligence of the House of Representatives.
16	(d) CAP ON INCENTIVE AMOUNT.—The total amount
17	paid by the Central Intelligence Agency to an employee
18	pursuant to subsection (a) may not exceed the lesser of—
19	(1) the minimum amount that is determined,
20	from time to time, by the Director of Central Intel-
21	ligence as—
22	(A) necessary to result in the desired num-
23	ber of voluntary separations; and
24	(B) appropriate; or
25	(2) \$25,000.

- (e) Termination of Service or Reimbursement 1 2 OBLIGATIONS.—
- 3 (1) AUTHORITY.—In the case of an employee who is obligated under an agreement between the 5 employee and the Central Intelligence Agency to render service to the Central Intelligence Agency or 6 7 to reimburse the United States for not so serving, the Director of Central Intelligence may terminate 8 9 the employee's obligation under that agreement in connection with the separation of the employee from 10 employment and the payment of a financial incentive 12 to the employee under a program established pursu-13 ant to subsection (a).
  - (2) AGREEMENTS COVERED.—Agreements referred to in paragraph (1) include any agreement entered into pursuant to section 506 of the Intelligence Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 1987 (50 U.S.C. 403j note).
- 19 (f) Cost Neutrality or Savings.—The Director of Central Intelligence shall ensure that the total cost of incentives paid to employees under a program established 21 pursuant to subsection (a) during the period beginning on the date of the enactment of this Act and ending on September 30, 1998, does not exceed the total cost that the Central Intelligence Agency would have incurred for the

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- 1 pay and other personnel benefits for such employees if
- 2 they had remained employees of the Central Intelligence
- 3 Agency for that period.
- 4 (g) Relationship to Other Government Bene-
- 5 FITS.—The amount paid to a person pursuant to sub-
- 6 section (a) may not—
- 7 (1) be the basis for payment of, and may not
- 8 be included in the computation of, any other mone-
- 9 tary benefit payable with respect to that person by
- the Federal Government; and
- 11 (2) be taken into account for purposes of deter-
- mining the amount of any severance pay to which
- such person is entitled under any other provision of
- law based on any other separation from employment
- by the Federal Government.
- 16 (h) TERMINATION OF AUTHORITY.—No financial in-
- 17 centive amount may be paid under the authority of this
- 18 section in connection with any voluntary separation occur-
- 19 ring after September 30, 1998.
- 20 (i) REGULATIONS.—The Director of Central Intel-
- 21 ligence shall prescribe such regulations as may be nec-
- 22 essary to carry out this section.